

WEATHER FORECAST
Tonight and Tuesday
Cloudy.

TONOPAH DAILY BONANZA

METAL QUOTATIONS	
SILVER	\$1.11 3/4
QUICKSILVER	\$96
COPPER	23 1/2 c
LEAD	\$5.60

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RODMAN'S FLAGSHIP AFIRE

Thrilling Scene on the Super Dreadnaught New Mexico

PERSHING WELCOMED BACK FROM FRANCE

(By Associated Press)

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—Gen. John D. Pershing arrived this morning aboard the Leviathan and received a tremendous welcome. Six destroyers met the steamship while gunboats sailed overhead. The fleet bowed a general salute, the whistles of merchant ships and factories joined in the din. The shores of Staten Island, Brooklyn, New Jersey and Manhattan were lined with thousands. The band of the famous first division played as the vessel docked.

Messages of welcome from Mayor Hylan, Governor Smith and other notables were dropped on the steamship from a police hydroplane.

Vice President Marshall welcomed

General Pershing from the deck of the destroyer Blakely. In his party were General March, chief of staff; Secretary of War Baker, other high officials and members of congress. Pershing's first day was filled with receptions and luncheons and concluded with a theatre party.

Secretary Baker welcomed General Pershing as he stepped ashore, on behalf of the United States and read a message from President Wilson expressing regret that he was unable to be present.

General Pershing stated to the Associated Press: "There isn't anything of consequence to say in air."

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MARSHAL FOCH ENJOYS FIRST DAY OF REST

(Correspondence Associated Press)

PARIS, Aug. 23.—Marshal Foch is enjoying the first holiday he has had for five years. On his estate at Morlaix, near Brest, the generalissimo of the allies' armies is living the simple life, dressed in loose tweeds and wearing a cap, only retaining his leather leggings as a reminder of his uniform.

The marshal is a great lover of hunting and partridges are thick in the woods of Brittany. But the marshal disconsolately watches them flutter about with impunity. It will not be open season for hunting in France until September 15. It was open season for the marshal for five years and the commander-in-chief of the allied armies never missed a day. Some newspapers are asking that an exception be made in favor of Foch, one of them adding naively that "as he has rendered slight service to his country, in ridding it of the Germans he might be allowed to deprive its woods of a few partridges."

When it became known that Foch was going to Morlaix, the mayor and city councillors at once made elaborate plans for the reception. They assembled at the house of the mayor and commenced marching down to the station when some one remarked that the hour at which the train was due had passed.

"It matters not," said the mayor, "that Foch is never on time." They arrived at the station, however, to find that the train actually had come and gone for twenty-five minutes. For once it had been on schedule time. General Foch was aboard and he never brooks delay. And now Minister of Railways Clavelle has lost a few votes in Morlaix for doing his work too well.

TREATY GIVEN OUT WEDNESDAY

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The peace treaty will be reported to the senate Wednesday noon. Chairman Lodge of the foreign relations committee announced today. It is planned to call the treaty up for debate next Monday.

VILLA BANDITS REPORTED DEAD

(By Associated Press)

SAINT JUAN, Sept. 8.—Three hundred and forty Villa bandits were killed in three days' fighting with Mexican federal troops in the state of Durango, according to a statement received by Mexican Consul Fierro here.

VANDALS LOOT WRECKED CAR

The first instance of the kind known in the desert country occurred Saturday between Mina and Hawthorne when an auto, wrecked on the road was looted while the owner was absent seeking help to haul the crippled machine to town. The driver and owner was a lady traveling alone. About half way between the two towns something went wrong with the gears and the lady proceeded to walk to Hawthorne. She had proceeded about five miles when overtaken by a car and taken to her destination where she procured a wrecker and returned to where she had abandoned her Buick roadster. Almost everything portable had been taken from the machine including her baggage and the cushions of the car. Then to complete the dastardly work the vandals punched a hole in the gasoline tank and went their way. No trace of the thieves had been found up to Saturday night. The greatest indignation was expressed, both at Hawthorne and Mina, where the citizens promised to make it warm for any one connected with the outrage.

TONOPAH MEN MET WITH IN TOURING NEW JERSEY

J. M. Ellis, formerly master mechanic of the MacNamara mine and later with the West End, writes from Worcester, Mass., enclosing his check for a year's subscription to The Daily Bonanza, stating, "I have been in the east for a month but will go back to Arizona about September 10. I was at Dover, N. J., where I saw Mr. Humphries and read his Bonanza. Also say Milne, Noble, Roach, Stanpham and others from Tonopah and Goldfield. Nash, Connors and Rayercraft are at Caldwell, Maryland, formerly of Manhattan, in New York. I have met Arizona and Nevada mining men in every town. The weather is cool and too much fog to suit us fellows from the west. I have had a splendid time having been out in a car most every day and have seen many places I never expected to visit, and had it not been for my friends, the MacLanes, I would never have seen so much. I am going to Boston tomorrow and then to New York to see the Pershing parade."

AMERICAN LEGION MEETING NEXT WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The American Legion of Tonopah will meet Wednesday evening when J. G. Scruggs, former dean of the engineering department, University of Nevada, will deliver an address. Colonel Scruggs is state chairman. WILL ADDRESS MASS MEETING TONIGHT AT BALL PARK Governor Boyle announces that he will visit the ball park this evening and speak to the meeting of Tonopah mine workers.

THOUSAND VISITORS ABOARD SHIP SAN FRANCISCO HARBOR LANDED WITHOUT CONFUSION

(By Associated Press)

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8.—Reports of the death of three members of the crew of the super-dreadnaught New Mexico and the injury of forty others by a fire aboard the vessel here last night is confirmed by officers.

It is reported that some men seized masks used for drill purposes only and used to keep out smoke and fumes. The men offered themselves for rescue work so fast they had to be ordered back. About a thousand visitors on New Mexico were cleared in half an hour from the ship without confusion.

All the New Mexico dead and injured were victims of suffocation except one, who was drowned. The damage is estimated at \$100,000. Of floors and men showed such great

FEDERAL TAXES MUST BE PAID

Instructions have been received at the local internal revenue office to the effect that more stringent rules must be applied in the collection of alcoholic taxes, taxes on harvests, soft drinks, saloons, ice cream sales, auto sales, fires, transportation and many taxes.

Failure to pay draws a penalty of from 5 to 25 per cent together with 1 per cent interest and in addition the offender must be fined \$100 to \$500. Heretofore the department has not been very strict due it is said, to the fact that blanks were not available. But this shortage has been overcome.

The income taxes were made payable in four installments. The third installment becomes due September 15, and must be paid to avoid the penalty that goes with failure to come up promptly. Midnight of that date is the very last moment the taxpayer is allowed. The local officials expect the coming week to be a busy one as the 15th comes on Monday of the week following.

NYE COUNTY FRUIT IS THE BEST EVER

The Bonanza is in receipt of a box of delicious grapes and apples grown at Healy which surpasses in quality anything seen on this market from California or anywhere else. The shipment came from L. S. Burdell, the rancher and storekeeper, who some time ago planted an orchard which he told his friends would excel anything produced in the adjoining state. His prediction has come to pass and it is a matter of regret that the consumers of Tonopah can procure only a limited quantity.

WHAT FLIES FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL FLAGSTAFF?

An interesting problem is being propounded these days which can be answered only by some steeplejack climbing the flagstaff of the high school and bringing down that dark piece of apparel which the freshmen hoisted the day school opened. The property is said to belong to one of the teachers but that fact can be established only by close scrutiny.

WENT OUT AFTER RABBITS.

Jack Thompson, Guy Millard, Arnold Howe and H. B. Chessher returned last evening from a visit to the famous hunting grounds of Fish Lake valley, where they went with the expectation of bagging a sack of rabbits.

STAMPEDE MADE TO DEATH VALLEY REGION FOR OIL

(By Associated Press)
SAN BERNARDINO, Sept. 8.—An unconfirmed report that oil had been struck in the desert region near Death Valley, between Kingston and Shadow mountain, caused a rush of prospectors and investigators from their today. Oil prospecting has been progressing in that region for several months. The rumor that reached here was that oil had been found at a depth of less than 300 feet.

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AMERICAN DIES AFTER BEATING

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Herbert S. McGill, an American riding horse back was shot from a gunshot wound to death by Mexicans at Cuernavaca in the state of Chiapas.

SCARS OF WAR ARE WIPED OUT

(By Associated Press)

POVER, Ene., Aug. 24.—Former British officers returning from France and Belgium where they have been going over the ground where a year ago they were still fighting, express astonishment at the manner in which nature is blotting out the scars of the war.

"No Man's Land" everywhere is covered with a mass of scarlet poppies," said one officer, "and the disappearance of the rusty barbed wire makes one almost forget the place was ever the most desolate prospect a man ever saw. But the trenches are still there and so is much of the timber, both startling reminders of the days when we did not know just what was going to happen next."

SEVEN DAYS TO MOVE A HOUSE

Ivan Jeffries, secretary of the Kernick companies, is fond of 13. He bought the old Codd 5-room house in Goldfield and brought it over here at an expense of \$400 and landed it on lot 13, block 13 known as 113 Prospect street, near the High school. This is the largest house hauled over from the southern camp with the one exception of the residence which Mr. Jeffries moved here from Goldfield in 1913 which was 22 two stories and six feet longer. The trip across the desert from Goldfield occupied seven days, owing to he had roads.

MORE SECRET TREATIES COME TO SURFACE

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The American delegation to the peace conference denies knowledge of the agreement reported in the British press by which the United States and England guarantee Belgium against German aggression.

FORECAST FOR THE WEEK.

(By Associated Press)
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CONSTITUTION DAY OBSERVED

(By Associated Press)

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 8.—Governor Stephens issued a proclamation today suggesting September 17, the 42nd anniversary of the signing of the federal constitution, be observed as Constitution day. He referred to the constitution as a bulwark against the spirit of irresponsibility that so often invades the nation.

RUMANIA MUST SIGN OR QUIT

(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The six big powers of peace conference announced today that they must demand Rumania to sign or quit.

LATEST JAZZ MUSIC FOR ELKS DANCE

The 2,000th issue of Elks will celebrate on any some of the joy of the dance during the recent strike at the Elks hall. Some of the latest jazz music will be played by the Elks band. The music will be played by the Elks band. The music will be played by the Elks band.

"The music in this occasion will be treated as something special in the latest music which will be furnished by the Elks band. The music will be played by the Elks band. The music will be played by the Elks band."

COTTON CROP REPORT.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—Cotton picked prior to September amounted to 198,949 bales, including 1,120 bales of 1919. The total crop is estimated at 1,238,978 bales, including 53,178 bales of 1919. The total crop is estimated at 1,238,978 bales, including 53,178 bales of 1919.

BUTLER THEATRE

Special Attraction
DUSTIN FARNUM
in
"A MAN IN THE OPEN"
A Powerful Story—A Super-Picture in Six Gripping Reels.
Also
LATEST PATHE NEWS
Admission 10c, 15c, 20c
TOMORROW
GEORGE WALSH, in
"NEVER SAY QUIT"
A Comedy Full of Tough Luck and Laughs
Typical Walsh Picture—Filled With Stunts, Action, Comedy, Thrills.

PEACE TREATY WOULD CURE WORLD UNREST

(By Associated Press)

OMAHA, Neb., Sept. 8.—Prompt acceptance of the peace treaty so that uncertainty in the labor situation throughout the world may be cleared up, was urged by President Wilson before a large audience here today. The international labor organization to be set up under the treaty would give labor a new bill of rights, he said, which he asserted was a "character of liberty for the workers of the world," which never was dreamed of before. The League of nations is the only way to secure such provisions. He declared the league would include all the great peoples except Germany, which would be admitted after a probationary period. He referred to charges that the treaty was too harsh for Germany, and said it provided that Germany pay only what it is able. Germany committed a criminal offense and it was just that she should suffer and pay.

The president said, referring to Article X of the league covenant, that any one understanding English must admit when it said the league could "advise" it meant "advise" and not compel. He said the league was not an absolute guarantee because there is no absolute guarantee against human passion. He discussed for the first time during his speaking tour proposed reservations of the league and replied to arguments of reservation proponents. "The reservation," he said, "is as sound as a big butt," we agree that it is. He said the proposed reservation providing for unconditional withdrawal from membership meant its sponsors wanted to "sit near the door with a hand on the knob, and if they saw anything they didn't like to 'scuttle and run'." He asserted that the Monroe Doctrine reservation was unnecessary because the doctrine was "swallowed hook, line and sinker" by the peace conference.

Wilson asserted there was no trick about the covenant, for it was the work of honest men. He said, "we didn't ask Germany's consent about the meaning of any one of those terms when we were in Paris. We told them what they meant and said 'sign here.' Does any patriotic American want that method changed?" Cries of "No," "No," from the crowd.

If reservations are put in, the president said, all the senate would write in must go back for the consent of Germany. He added that there were indications that those on the other side of the water were not in so good humor as they had been. The only way the Shantung provision could be bettered would be to go to war with Japan, England and France. He told the crowd that the

HIGHGRADE ON BIRCH CREEK

The strike at Birch Creek in the Austin district about which so much was heard last week has a phenomenal surface showing that surprised many of the old timers who went to the scene as soon as they heard of the discovery. Nick Ahleman was offered the property but asked for one day's time in order to wire men whom he wanted associated with him. He offered to pay \$500 for the 24-hour option but was turned down and the group sold for \$20,000, of which \$3,000 cash was on the spot with deferred payments for the balance and one-tenth interest in the company to be formed to operate the property. The locator was Jack Cahill, a brother of Tom Cahill of Tonopah and the locator of the first round held by the Round Mountain Mining company at Round Mountain. Ahleman says the surface showing is the richest he ever saw as there was not a foot of the distance of 350 feet long and 250 feet wide that the ground does not pan freely. There is a 150-foot tunnel in which the feet pan high. The surface has a two-inch streak that runs \$2,000 in free gold and the tunnel shows a streak of one and a half inches that yields \$2,000 a ton.

The location is twelve miles east of Austin and one and a half miles from Birch creek. During the past three days over 100 persons visited the scene and all extension of the ground were located by Bradley of the Divide and James Martin, of Stone Cabin, who monumented over twenty claims.

RUMANIA SIGNS AUSTRIAN TREATY WITH RESERVATIONS

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Sept. 8.—The Rumanian delegation has sent a note to the peace conference, declaring its intention to sign the Austrian treaty with reservations. It appears that such signature is not likely to be permitted.

CROP FORECAST.

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, Sept. 8.—The department of agriculture forecast winter wheat at 717,000,000 bushels, and spring wheat 208,000,000 bushels.

FORMER PASTOR GOES TO ERIN

Salt Lake diocese was called upon to sustain another severe loss a few days ago when the Rev. William Flynn, pastor of Our Lady of Lourdes church, received a letter recalling him to his home diocese in Ireland. The loss may be temporary, however, as Father Flynn said he will do his best to obtain permission to return, and since there exists in Ireland no such acute need of priests as is in evidence here, he has reason to believe he will be successful. Father Flynn is a native of Waterford, Ireland. He was educated in St. John's school at Waterford and was ordained at Maynooth seminary. He is attached to the diocese of Waterford and Lismore. In September, 1910, he visited Utah and for three years he served as pastor at Tonopah, after which he was assigned to Our Lady of Lourdes church at Salt Lake. The parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, one of the newer ones of the city, has made splendid progress under Father Flynn's guidance and the announcement that he had been recalled was received with deep regret, not only by residents of the parish but by Father Flynn's many friends throughout the entire diocese. An application for passports for Father Flynn has been sent to Washington and he expects to leave within a few weeks.

MINE WORKERS RETURN FROM COPPER CAMP

The stages and private automobiles from Ely are bringing back many men who left here last week with the understanding that they could find work with the Nevada Cons. Copper company. They say the rate of wages is from \$4.25 to \$5 and that the camp is filled with men looking for employment.